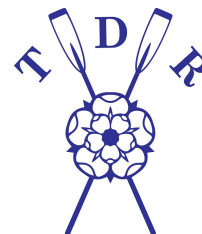


THAMES DITTON REGATTA – Saturday 16 May 2026



ACCIDENT PLAN A

In the event of an accident involving competitors or officials occurring **ON THE RIVER**. The **designated casualty landing places** are as follows:

ALPHA	The hire boat moorings, 100m downstream of Hampton Court Bridge on Middlesex bank (Barge Walk, KT8 9AU). Contact Custody Officer at Trophy Gate for bollard keys if necessary.	<u>///these.tummy.inches</u> TQ 155 685
BRAVO	Kingston Grammar School Boathouse, Aragon Ave, Thames Ditton KT7 0PY	<u>///always.lush.grass</u> TQ 158 678
CHARLIE	Public slipway behind Ye Olde Swan (off Summer Road, KT7 0QQ)	<u>///alive.third.stop</u> TQ 162 673

Emergency actions

1. THE NEAREST REGATTA OFFICIAL SHOULD IMMEDIATELY TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION TO ENSURE THAT:

- A. Rescue and/or First Aid (if appropriate) is commenced as soon as possible
- B. Further accidents are prevented

This action will include:

- Call the Safety Boat. This call will serve to alert Race Control, who will then take overall control of the incident.
- Call the Start to stop further races coming down.
- Commence the task of marshalling and rescue and then provide whatever assistance may be requested by the person assuming command of the incident

2. THE LEADER OF THE FIRST REGATTA RESCUE TEAM TO REACH THE INCIDENT SHOULD ASSUME COMMAND OF THE RESCUE UPON ARRIVAL

This action will include:

- Make an immediate assessment of the situation and decide if more assistance is required
- Report that assessment to the Regatta's Rescue and First Aid organisation including a description of any response that may be required
- Co-ordinate and direct that response
- Decide, in consultation with the Safety Adviser, if any casualty(s) should be removed to a **designated casualty landing place** or to any other place
- Decide if any other Rescue Unit should be brought to the scene
- Indicate if the public emergency services should be called

3. ALL OTHER REGATTA OFFICIALS SHOULD IMMEDIATELY TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION TO ENSURE A CO-ORDINATED RESPONSE IS TAKEN TO THE TASK OF RESCUE

This action will include:

- Ensure that all competitors, officials and members of the public comply with the directions given by the person assuming command of the rescue
- Take sympathetic steps to prevent panic or hysteria
- Ensure that further accidents are prevented
- Relay information to the Regatta's Rescue First Aid organisation in a calm and controlled manner

ACCIDENT PLAN B

In the event of an accident involving competitors or officials occurring **ON ANY AREA OF LAND** occupied or used by the Regatta Organisation.

Emergency Actions

1. THE NEAREST REGATTA OFFICIAL SHOULD IMMEDIATELY TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION TO ENSURE THAT:

- A. Rescue and/or First Aid (if appropriate) is commenced as soon as possible
- B. Further accidents are prevented

This action will include:

- Alert Race Control, who will then take overall control of the incident
- Commence the task of rescue and then provide whatever assistance may be requested by the person assuming command of the rescue
- Co-ordinate other officials to assist with marshalling competitors and casualties to a place of safety

2. THE LEADER OF THE FIRST REGATTA RESCUE TEAM TO REACH THE INCIDENT SHOULD ASSUME COMMAND OF THE RESCUE UPON ARRIVAL

This action will include:

- Make an immediate assessment of the situation and decide if more assistance is required
- Report that assessment to the Regatta's Rescue and First Aid organisation including a description of any response that may be required
- Co-ordinate and direct that response
- Decide, in consultation with the Safety Adviser, if any casualty(s) should be removed to another place
- Decide if any other Rescue Unit should be brought to the scene
- Indicate if the Ambulance should be re-located from the Regatta Enclosure to another place
- Indicate if the public emergency services should be called

3. ALL OTHER REGATTA OFFICIALS SHOULD IMMEDIATELY TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION TO ENSURE A CO-ORDINATED RESPONSE IS TAKEN TO THE TASK OF RESCUE

This action will include:

- Ensure that all competitors, officials and members of the public comply with the directions given by the person assuming command of the rescue
- Take sympathetic steps to prevent panic or hysteria
- Ensure that further accidents are prevented
- Relay information to the Regatta's Rescue First Aid organisation in a calm and controlled manner